Approved by PAC 4-9-2015

MINUTES

City of Flagstaff PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE



Thursday, March 12, 2015 | 4:30 pm

City Hall, Council Conference Room 211 West Aspen Avenue, Flagstaff, Arizona

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:50 pm. On roll call, the following Committee members were present:

Kim Austin, co-chair Heather Taylor, co-chair Joyce Browning Georgia Duncan

Members absent:

Adam Langford Cecile LeBlanc Jim Tuck

The following City staff was present:

Martin Ince, multimodal planner

Others present:

Jack Welch

I. PRELIMINARY GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Announcements

Mr. Ince announced that FUTS signs were being fabricated and installed, and showed samples of the A and B-type trailhead signs. Ms. Taylor asked if it were possible to add something about the bicycle helmet law to the trail rules and courtesy section.

2. Public Comment

There was no Public Comment.

3. Approval of Minutes

Ms. Duncan moved, and Ms. Browning seconded, a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of February 12, 2015. The motion was approved unanimously (4-0).

II. OLD BUSINESS

1. Pedestrian master plan

Mr. Ince presented an outline for public participation. The PAC discussed the outline and made several comments:

- Public outreach should be planned for summer, because there are a number of events and activities that would be ideal to attend
- It would be beneficial to combine efforts with NAIPTA, and use some of the same techniques they used for their surveys
- Staff time and volunteer availability will limit how extensive the outreach effort can be. The Committee recommended making a list of potential venues and events, and participating as time and resources allow
- The Committee liked the idea of valet bike parking, if the volunteers could be recruited to help organize and staff
- Some possible events include the free Flagstaff Symphony Orchestra at the Pepsi Amphitheater, the grand opening of the Fort Tuthill bike park, the Flagstaff Leadership Program, and Jack's Walks.

III. NEW BUSINESS

1. Mayor's Challenge for Safer People, Safer Streets

Mr. Ince reported that the City's Bicycle Advisory Committee recommended adding a fifth activity to the list – identifying and addressing barriers to make streets safe and convenient for all road users. The PAC agreed with including this activity.

The Committee discussed the Sustainability micro-grant program and how it might be used in conjunction with the challenge.

IV. CONCLUDING GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Reports

There was no discussion or action on the Reports.

2. Announcements

There were no Announcements.

V. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

The meeting was adjourned at 5:53 pm.